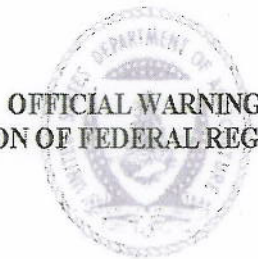


UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE



OFFICIAL WARNING  
VIOLATION OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

CASE NUMBER:

VIOLATOR:

Andrew Troyer, Jim Troyer, John  
Troyer  
47-A-0543 / 40015

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The U.S. Department of Agriculture has evidence that on or about July 6, 2012, June 15, 2011, July 22, 2010, you or your organization committed violations of the following sections of the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 9:

**3.1(a) Housing Facilities, Structure....**repeated failure to design and construct housing facilities for dogs that are structurally sound, kept in good repair, and protect animals from injury

**3.1(c)(2) Housing Facilities, General....**repeated failure to maintain surfaces so they can be readily cleaned and sanitized or replaced when worn or soiled

**3.3(a) Sheltered Housing Facilities....DIRECT....**failure to sufficiently heat or cool the sheltered part of sheltered housing facilities to protect the animals from temperature or humidity extremes and to provide for their health and well-being (7/06/2012)

**3.4(b) Outdoor Housing Facilities, Shelter from the elements....**repeated failure to provide shelter structures that are accessible to each animal in each outdoor facility, and that are large enough to allow each animal in the shelter structure to sit, stand, and lie in a normal manner, and to turn freely

The Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) created federal regulations to ensure the welfare of animals and help prevent the spread of animal and plant pests and diseases. Since violations of the regulations can have serious and costly impacts that are detrimental to the public interest, APHIS is providing you with an Official Warning for the violation(s) described above. Any further violation of these federal regulations may result in the assessment of a civil penalty, criminal prosecution, or other sanctions. If you have any questions concerning this Official Warning or violation(s), please contact the APHIS official listed in this notice.

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